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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The First National Bank, CHARTER NO. 4229.

At Alliance, in the State of Nebraska, at the
close of business, September 1, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$464,012.62
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	718.41
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	1,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	10,000.00
Due from National Banks	14,012.95
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	7,815.10
Due from approved reserve agents	75,401.98
Checks and other cash items	2,511.12
Notes of other National Banks	780.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	351.03
Lawful money reserve in bank vault	16,173.05
Legal tender notes	1,110.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer other than 5 per cent redemption fund	2.50
Total	\$646,388.76

LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	13,798.45
National bank notes outstanding	30,000.00
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	1,358.90
Individual deposits subject to check	321,719.31
Demand certificates of deposit	34,544.51
Time certificates of deposit	120,725.51
United States Deposits	1,000.00
Total	\$324,861.48

State of Nebraska, County of Box Butte, ss.
I, S. K. WARRICK, cashier of the above-
named bank, do solemnly swear that the
above statement is true to the best of my
knowledge and belief.

S. K. WARRICK, Cashier.

CORRECT—Attest:
R. M. HAMPTON,
A. S. REED,
CHAS. E. FORD, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
9th day of Sept., A. D. 1909.

WILLIAM MITCHELL,
Notary Public.

The annexed report
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Investigating the West

Mr. Willis J. Abbot, long connected with the Hearst newspapers and widely known as the chief publicity man of the democratic national Committee last year, passed through Alliance last Thursday on a Burlington private car, as the guest of Mr. O. L. Dickeson.

Mr. Abbot, when seen in the car, spoke about the purpose of his trip, which is to cover the new territory being opened by the Burlington Road in the Northwest, and particularly the Big Horn Basin.

"I believe," he said, "that all signs point to a great interest among the American people in farming lands. It has been perfectly apparent for months that the people in the cities of the east are more and more looking westward with the view of escaping some of the unhappy conditions of metropolitan life and making themselves independent by taking up lands which can now be had at a moderate price."

"I have spent seven or eight months in Europe, making a careful study of the methods by which a comparatively small country, like Belgium, for example, can support a population nearly fifteen times greater than that of Texas and vastly greater than that of any of our northwestern states. They do it by utilizing every force of nature. We are just beginning to imitate their methods and, perhaps, the longest step in the development of the scientific side of irrigation."

"It is to see what progress has been made along this line that I am making this journey. The Burlington road officials understand that the prosperity of the road depends upon the prosperity of the communities which it serves. It does not wish to have settlers located on lands that cannot be profitably tilled because, in such event, those settlers will not add to the business of the road. The interests of the road and its patrons are identical."

"While my trip is purely a personal one, the officials of the Burlington road have been kind enough to furnish me with statistics and records and every possible assistance in the work of determining what the conditions are in this growing territory. Of course, I expect to publish my conclusions shortly after returning to the east."

Amusements.

The Spedden-Paige Stock Co. will play at the Phelan Opera House all week, commencing Monday, Sept. 20. This is the first appearance of this company in Alliance, but Mr. Sam Spedden's organization is well and favorably known throughout the middle states in which he has toured with this company for the past 13 years. The Deadwood papers devoted a whole column towards eulogizing the company as one of the very best during their recent engagement there, and the Sheridan press confirms the opinion. Messrs. Brown & Harris anticipate a crowded house Monday night and personally guarantees the quality of the attraction.

New Harness Man in Town.

H. W. Muldoon of LaPorte, Ind., a first-class harness maker has accepted a position at Hill's harness shop. His family remain in the Hoosier state for the present, but will probably come later, as he wishes to remove west and thinks of making his home permanently in Alliance.

Mr. Muldoon is considered a harness expert on turf goods, and his services will be appreciated at this time.

Rally Day at the Baptist Church

Next Sunday will be Rally Day at the Baptist church. At the Sunday-school each scholar will be given a souvenir. At the morning service the pastor will preach an appropriate sermon, and a letter from a former pastor, Rev. G. C. Jeffers, will be read. Also the mortgage on the church will be burned in connection with the service.

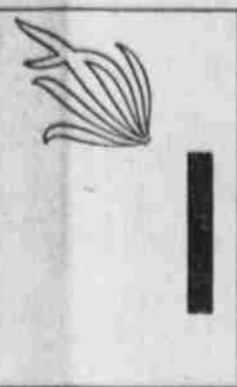
The B. Y. P. U. have arranged a special program for the meeting at 6:30, and the day will close with a rousing service in the evening when the I. O. O. F. and Rebecca lodges will be present. The pastor will preach the annual sermon to these orders. Mrs. E. B. Burris will sing in the evening. Let each member of every department be present at all the services of the day, making it a red letter day in the history of the church.

G. B. Carr called at The Herald office last Saturday long enough to enroll his name as a subscriber.

Rev. B. F. Kline, pastor of the Christian Church at Clinton, Iowa, was in Alliance the latter part of last week. He is a brother-in-law of Dr. Coppernoll.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Leishman, living twenty miles south of Alliance, was brought to Alliance for medical treatment, and died at the home of John Colerick in West Lawn last Saturday, from which place the funeral was held Sunday afternoon, conducted by J. W. Thomas.

Potatoes to sell in the field.—James H. Skinner, on Sec. 17-25-49, eleven miles northwest of Alliance, has ten acres of fine potatoes to sell in the field.



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